

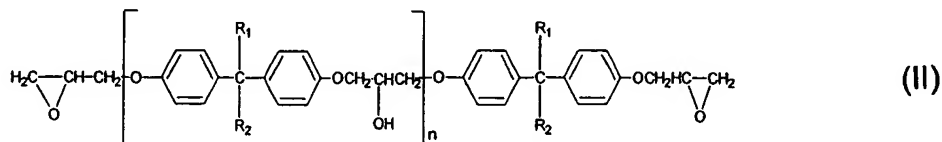
wherein in Formula (II), R^1 and R^2 are independently hydrogen or hydrocarbon groups in the range of 1 to about 20 carbon atoms, and n is a number in the range of 1 to about 20, preferably 1 to about 6, and in one embodiment 1 to about 3, and in another embodiment 1 or 2.

Examples include: bisphenol A wherein R^1 and R^2 are each CH_3 ; bisphenol F wherein R^1 and R^2 are each H; bisphenol AD wherein R^1 is H and R^2 is CH_3 . Others include resins wherein: R^1 is H and R^2 is C_6H_{13} ; R^1 is H and R^2 is $C_{12}H_{25}$; R^1 is CH_3 and R^2 is C_2H_5 ; R^1 is CH_3 and R^2 is C_4H_9 ; etc.

A version of the above amended paragraph marked to indicate the specific amendments may be found in the attached Appendix, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.121(b)(1).

IN THE CLAIMS:

4. (Amended) The composition of claim 1 wherein said difunctional epoxy resin (B-1) is a compound represented by the formula



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